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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Man Sung Co et al.) Group Art Unit: 1641
Application No.: 09/501,102) Examiner: Not yet assigned
Filed: February 9, 2000)
For: Humanized Immunoglobulin)
Reactive With B7 Molecules and)
Methods of Treatment)

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to continued examination of this application, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-142 without prejudice, and add new claims 143-160, as follows:

143. A method for transplanting at least one of cells, tissue or organs to an individual in need thereof, comprising:

- a) obtaining at least one of cells, tissue or organs from a donor,
- b) contacting the cells, tissue or organs with:
 - i) at least one of an immunoglobulin specific to B7-1,
 - ii) at least one of an immunoglobulin specific to B7-2, and
 - iii) at least one of tissue, organ or cells that express MHC Class I antigen, B7-1 and B7-2 molecules,

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